

*A Burst of Color:  
Celebrating the Container Garden*

## PREVIEW OF THE



BENEFITTING FUND FOR PARKS AND RECREATION  
SEAPORT WORLD TRADE CENTER  
MARCH 15, 2011 ~ 5:30 - 8:00 PM



**Mayor Thomas M. Menino & Commissioner Antonia Pollak**

cordially invite you to the Boston Flower & Garden Show Preview Party,  
benefitting the Fund for Parks and Recreation.

**Seaport World Trade Center**

**200 Seaport Boulevard**

**Tuesday, March 15, 2011**

**5:30 – 8:00 PM**

Your support will help the Boston Parks and Recreation Department with the beautification,  
maintenance and preservation of parks and open spaces citywide.

Be the first to view the show's landscaped gardens, container garden displays, designs by professional florists, and colorful amateur competitions. Guests may vote on their favorite displays while mingling with friends and enjoying a cocktail reception and delicious fare from local restaurants.



Boston Flower & Garden Show Preview Party  
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Please reserve  Individual Ticket(s) at \$125 each

Please reserve  Friend Ticket at \$500 each (company or individual event program listing)

I am unable to attend however I have enclosed a contribution in the amount of \$

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Boston Flower & Garden Show

Wednesday, March 16, 9:00 AM – 8:00 PM

Thursday, March 17, 9:00 AM – 8:00 PM

Friday, March 18, 9:00 AM – 8:00 PM

Saturday, March 19, 9:00 AM – 8:00 PM

Sunday, March 20, 9:00 AM – 6:00 PM

For more information please visit [www.TheBostonFlowerShow.com](http://www.TheBostonFlowerShow.com)